
REAL FRENCH WOMAN NOT FRIVOLOUS, GAY OR OVERDRESSED, SAYS BILLIE BURKE. SHE'S A BUSINESS PARTNER.

BY BILLIE BURKE.

THE RITZ-CARLTON — PARIS, July 27.—Almost every American man or woman has a well-grounded idea that ALL French women are frivolous and rather lax. The extreme contrary is the case, but you see those of us who stay at home get our idea of the French woman from the French novel and newspaper accounts of those butterflies of the stage and demi-monde whose vagaries the big Paris dress-making establishments are only too glad to coin into fashions for the too-rich American woman of money.



Really the women who set the fashion in France are usually only conspicuous in too-public places and their beauty is less impeccable, as a rule, than their reputations. One might as well say that the antics one sees on the stage at 'The Folies' are typical of our serious American drama as to say that the much-written-about women who contribute to the gayest city in the world are the typical French type. You never see the great ladies of the Faubourg St. Germaine rushing about in conspicuous costumes at the different places where the tourist loves to think he is seeing French life and manners. Neither do you

see the frugal "femme" of the "bourgeoisie" making a public exhibition of herself or her apparel on the street or in the restaurant. There is no woman in the world who is bound by tradition and convention as is the French woman. Her birth places her unerringly in a certain social station and she must act as every other woman in that station acts. French girls seldom marry out of their class and the model and the little middle-aged woman who have no one to give them a dot seldom are able to marry at all, although they may become the idols of Paris and the arbiters of the world's fashions.

Marriage in France is a business; love has seldom much to do with it.

"Love matches," as we Americans call them, are almost as scarce in France as among the Japanese and yet the average French matron, surrounded by her children and busy with their present and future welfare, seems quite as happy as does the clever married woman in the United States whose interests are more diversified and who can see easy divorce in the distance if her husband does not quite suit her. I admire the French woman very much. Her love of home and family always appeals to me.

CURRENCY BILL WILL BE PASSED IN THIS SESSION

President Assured That Some Action Will be Taken if the Caucus Has to be Called Upon.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—Pres. Wilson has received further assurances from leaders in congress that his program of currency reform will receive favorable action at this session of congress. These assurances have been made in the face of sharp split amongst democrats of the house banking and currency committee, and in spite also of the desire of many democrats in the senate to delay currency action until the December session.

Rapid progress has been made on the tariff bill in the senate and the president and his congressional advisors have been encouraged at the prospect of the passage of the tariff bill much earlier than had been expected. Republican senators, defeated at every turn in their efforts to amend the bill, have given way on much of their proposed opposition; and the democrats propose to push the revision bill rapidly during the coming week.

While democrats of the house currency committee have found it difficult to agree on the Glass-Owen currency bill, the house leaders and Pres. Wilson believe the measure can be whipped into shape in a democratic caucus, if it is necessary to adopt that course. The president has been conferring with the so-called "insurgents" one by one and has secured their views and ascertained the strength of their opposition.

Further Efforts This Week. It is believed the bill could be taken into a caucus with the backing of the president, Democratic Leader Underwood, Speaker Clark and Chairman Glass, and perfected there and given the endorsement of the democratic party. Further efforts will be made this week to bring the house committee members together on the bill but should the attempts fail, the administration is prepared to push the currency measure into the house without delay.

The tariff bill has gone through its early stages in the senate with unexpected rapidity. Few members have made general tariff speeches and it is believed the debate will be meagre during the next two or three weeks. The chemical schedule has been practically completed Saturday; the earthenware tariff will be taken up Monday with Sen. Stone in charge of the debate.

Interest in the revision has flagged throughout the week and indications point to less republican opposition as the bill progresses. Sen. LaFollette has not yet entered the debate. He has employed two experts for many weeks, in preparing substitutes for many schedules of the democratic

tariff when these are offered, the Wisconsin senator is expected to lead a hard fight for their adoption; and democratic leaders are looking forward to that phase of the debate as most likely to cause delay.

Feel Sure of Wool. Sen. LaFollette will offer substitutes for the wool schedule. A concerted effort is to be made on the republican side, to break up the democratic ranks on the free wool issue; but democratic leaders insist their woolen tariff will go through by a safe margin without change.

Congress is standing by as to the Mexican situation, waiting for an outcome of negotiations now going on in the executive departments, before attempting to formulate any definite expression as to a Mexican policy. The president has encountered further opposition in the senate as to recent appointments. Several of his diplomatic appointments still remain unconfirmed, and a fight is being made against several major appointments. Objections by Sen. Vardeman have now raised an issue over Adam E. Patterson, the Negro recently nominated for register of the treasury. Sen. Vardeman has declared he will oppose the confirmation of Patterson.

SOME NEWS NOTES.

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Summer Foods As Cause of Dyspepsia

Many Also Get Diarrhoea—What to Do in Either Case.

Summer ought to be the months of most perfect health, but owing to contaminated water and milk, unripe fruit, germs and insects, the average of health is not good at this time of the year. There is much skin trouble from acid fruits, and much dyspepsia and diarrhoea from cold foods and iced beverages.

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BOY STRIKES BOAT IN DIVE FROM THE BRIDGE

Milo Oswalt Takes a Plunge and Does Not Notice the Approaching Boat.

ELKHART, Ind., July 28.—An accident, in which 15-year-old Milo Oswalt dove from the McNaughton park bridge, striking a boat and breaking his right arm, was the only instance which marred the pleasure of the 2,500 participants in the Lake Shore employes' picnic. The accident occurred about 6 o'clock. Young Oswalt with a number of other companions of his own age were diving off the bridge into the St. Joseph river. Oswalt failed to notice a boat coming underneath the span and his head struck the side with a thud that could be audibly heard by people on the opposite bank of the river, a distance of 300 feet away.

The occupants of the boat pulled the limp form of the boy into the water. A physician on the grounds was on the scene in a few minutes and made a careful examination, resulting in finding that the fracture of the right arm above the elbow was the only injury sustained.

Young Oswalt was huddled into the physician's automobile and taken to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Oswalt, 1323 Chestnut st., where the fracture was reduced.

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ARE LOOKING FOR MAN IN THE CASE

Police Think Girl Who Died at Boston Hospital Was Party to Suicide Pact.

BOSTON, July 28.—A suicide pact is believed to have led to the death of Rose Fivanson, aged 20, of Hartford, Conn., who was found in a hotel room Sunday, a victim of poisoning. The police are looking for an unknown man who registered with the girl at the hotel Saturday night.

Sunday morning the man, who seemed ill, went to the hotel office and inquired the address of a doctor. Half an hour later groans were heard from the room and the girl was found at the point of death. A fragment of paper clutched in her hand bore the name, "G. W. Mann, Shelbyville, Ind.," and asked the police not to blame "Billy."

"I am tired of the life I am leading and am doing this with a clear mind," the note said. The girl was taken to the city hospital where she died. The police think the pair intended to die together but that the man after his first sip of the poison, changed his mind. He had not been found at a late hour Sunday night.

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